



House of Representatives

General Assembly

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House Bill No. 6718

House of Representatives, May 13, 2003

The Committee on Appropriations reported through REP. DYSON of the 94th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXPENDITURES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2003*) The Commissioner of
2 Correction shall review the programs administered by the department
3 in order to: (1) Evaluate the cost-effectiveness and benefits of such
4 programs, and (2) assign priority for the continued funding of such
5 programs. The commissioner shall submit findings and
6 recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General
7 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and
8 the budgets of state agencies not later than January 1, 2004, and
9 annually thereafter.

This act shall take effect as follows:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2003</i>
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APP *Joint Favorable*

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note**State Impact:**

Agency Affected	Fund-Type	FY 04 \$	FY 05 \$
Correction, Dept.	GF - None	None	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

Passage of the bill, which requires a review of expenditures for programs and services within the Department of Correction, would not result in any fiscal impact to the state.

OFA Bill Analysis

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.**

SUMMARY:

The bill requires the Department of Correction to complete and submit a report reviewing its programs and services.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2003

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Report

Yea 49 Nay 0